IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

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ORDER

Presently before the court is Defendants' Motion to Dismiss and Alternative Motion for Summary Judgment filed on June 5, 2014. (Doc. 41.) On July 1, 2014, the Magistrate Judge granted Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to File its First Amended Complaint. (Docs. 43, 47.) After filing its Amended Complaint, Plaintiff responded in opposition to Defendants' motion to dismiss, arguing that the filing of its Amended Complaint effectively mooted Defendants' prior motion. (Doc. 50.) Defendants did not file a reply brief, and, instead, filed a Second Motion to Dismiss and Alternative Motion for Summary

Judgment. (Doc. 51.) This court therefore finds Defendants' first motion to dismiss (Doc. 41) is moot.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Dismiss and Alternative Motion for Summary Judgment (Doc. 41) is **DENIED**AS MOOT.

This the 31st day of July, 2014.

United States District Judge